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SIR:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 14, 2006, with the one-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 14, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and/or remarks.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.